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RUBBER ESTATE RETURNS.

	Cct.	Nov.	Jan-Nov.
Allagar	8,555	3,850	31,877
Alor Pongau	2,961	—	15,118
Alor Gajah	—	370	1,071
Alma	1,200	1,000	7,350
Anglo Malay	61,259	—	515,477
Ayer Kuning	400	—	2,586
Ayer Molek	9,093	—	18,838
Ayer Panas	1,265	2,100	7,705
Balgownie	8,481	9,909	91,817
Batak Rabi	1,718	—	5,565
Banting	4,800	—	24,127
Batu Gaves	15,572	—	119,642
Batu Tiga	11,251	—	75,122
Bernam	1,100	1,500	2,600
Bertam	—	—	83,893
Bikam	3,335	—	20,001
Bieh	1,708	—	7,610
Bukit Kajang	5,664	7,831	48,291
Bukit Rajah	—	—	308,965
Bukit Lintang	4,752	6,100	40,820
Bukit Timah	1,357	1,446	6,574
Bukit K. B.	691	—	2,095
Bukit Chelaka	4,000	—	4,000
Carey United	10,250	10,150	107,050
Castlefield	—	—	31,168
Changkat Serdang	2,955	—	29,544
Changkat Salak	2,374	1,919	11,371
Cheng	915	1,100	3,245
Cicely	15,126	15,138	124,725
Consolidated Malay	—	—	19,920
Caledonia	23,541	—	202,868
Chumor	—	—	2,774
Choromose	2,382	3,612	16,554
Chota	500	1,410	2,000
Damansara	—	—	258,100
Damalun	410	915	1,355
Edinburgh	8,000	—	61,950
Federated (Selang.)	—	—	91,348
F.M.S. Rubber	24,670	35,950	494,484
Gedong	—	—	117,100
Glenlyon	2,074	2,133	19,797
Glenahel	5,317	6,016	40,856
Golden Hope	8,517	—	60,809
Golconda	—	—	104,146
Gula Kalumpung	12,000	—	32,800
Hal Koo	627	—	3,430
Harpenden	12,512	11,703	81,641
Haylor	608	114	2,118
Heawood	1,384	—	6,561
High & Low	48,253	49,477	459,573
Inch Kenneth	16,269	17,417	146,201
Idragli	785	—	4,663
Jimah	450	—	550
Jugra	—	—	60,583
Jobong	23,850	—	186,250
Kapar Para	—	—	97,816
Kamunlug	9,800	10,560	147,972
Kemping	—	—	27,134
Kepong	5,250	—	31,659
Klebang	359	413	1,471
Kota Tieggi	50	—	4,098
Kuala Klang	—	—	16,591
Kurau	3,507	—	13,765
Kuala Rob. Bat.	4,102	—	29,554
Kuala Lumpur	5,450	—	455,756
Kuala Selangor	7,600	—	7,600
Laba	20,102	10,128	181,288
Lanadron	26,425	19,656	339,918
Ledbury	10,883	12,370	121,761
Liligi	82,000	82,000	751,500
London Asialc	10,777	—	133,566
Malaka Pinda	512	—	1,294
Malacca Plant	35,000	—	255,000
Mandal Tekong	720	937	2,361
Merton	2,434	2,335	16,741
New Serendah	731	—	2,354
New Singapore	80	120	420
North Hummock	—	—	41,018
Nova Scotia	—	—	83,405
Padang Jawa	920	—	920
Palam	3,000	4,470	29,700
Pantai	—	289	1,391
Pataing	30,620	—	265,541
Pegoh	5,571	6,009	41,000
Pongkalan Darlan	985	1,405	5,341
Perak Plant	—	—	98,688
Pont Dickson	1,150	2,553	8,131
Radella	1,134	2,712	11,415
Rambia	1,415	1,658	9,931
Ribu Rubber	7,027	—	54,853
Rubana	21,750	—	121,779
Ratanul	2,500	2,750	16,854
Rber Growers Assn.	3,997	—	25,320
St. Helena	170	250	1,165
Sangai	9,200	9,017	72,778
Selaba	5,000	—	5,000
Sungai Choh	4,550	—	41,747
Sungai Kapar	—	—	120,136
Sundycroft	10,469	10,135	87,706
Safid	—	—	135,501
Selangor	—	—	237,759
Seremban	24,287	—	315,581
Sembawang	818	541	3,857
Sundawang	8,168	9,868	66,144
Shelford	10,000	11,000	50,301
Spore & Johore	14,422	15,641	116,077
Singapore Para	5,250	4,150	53,815
Strals Rubber	44,150	—	240,030
Sungai Salak	5,085	—	26,640
Sungai Way	10,118	—	47,069
Sungai Chumor	1,889	—	6,668
Sasport	870	—	2,616
Tambalak	970	—	4,185
Tanjong Malim	800	1,700	5,950
Telok Anson	1,050	—	6,709
Tali Ayer	14,483	—	103,319
Trafalgar	318	—	2,661
Tremalby	—	—	31,861
Talping	503	—	2,452
Old London	530	574	2,885
United Singapore	2,228	2,409	15,247
United Sumatra	5,200	—	41,136
Vallambrosa	—	—	291,420

(All totals are calculated for the calendar year instead of the financial year, which differs with many companies.—Singapore Free Press.)

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TAKE NOTICE that under No. 5 of the DOMESTIC CLEANLINESS and VENTILATION BY-LAWS (as amended), every Domestic Building or part of such Building within the CLEANLINESS Division of the City of Victoria, and the WESTERN Division of Kowloon, occupied by Members of more than one family, except those within the European Reservation or in Kowloon, South of Austin Road or those parts of a Domestic Building used as a Shop, Office or Garage, must be CLEANSED and LIMEWASHED THROUGHOUT by the owners during the months of December and January.

A.D.—The word "Throughout" used in this notice means that the Houses should be Lime-washed in respect of all the Walls of each Room, all Cubicles, Partitions, Stair Casings and Stair Linings, all Ceilings and the Under-sides of Roofs in Main Buildings, Offices and Servants' Quarters and inclusive of Verandahs.

The Backyard must have its containing Walls Lime-washed up to the level of the first floor.

Carved, Painted or Polished Woodwork in good condition, however, need not be Lime-washed, but must be Cleaned.

The Central Division of the City lies between Gilman Street and Peel Street on the East and Tank Lane and Cleverly Street on the West.

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The Hongkong Telegraph

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, JANUARY 21, 1911.

CANTON'S "TARIFF REFORM."

His Excellency the Viceroy of Canton appears to be preparing a handful of bombshells to throw into the foreign commercial camp. As our Canton correspondent wrote yesterday the Viceroy is desirous of ousting foreign-mined coal from the market in favour of the native variety, while to-day—from the same source—we learn that he proposes to increase the duty on foreign imported goods. The object of the latter step, as our correspondent states, is to repair the ravages in the revenue of Canton which are following the suppression of gambling. As good protectionists ourselves we cannot but feel a certain sympathy with the fundamental principle of His Excellency's proposal. Doubtless, it is reasonable for China to use Chinese-mined coal; doubtless, foreign goods compete with the Chinese article to the latter's detriment; doubtless, it is within the rights of China to protect all her industries—in fact the Viceroy, from a purely academic point of view, has suggested nothing with which we can differ. But the recognition of a principle does not *ipso facto* make it harmonious with practical politics, and in this case His Excellency has himself suggested, though with a very different intention, the most powerful argument against the tariff reform he has proposed. It is a good many years since the Mackay Treaty was signed at the St. George that was to kill the

Chinese dragon of likin. By that treaty China "agrees that the duties and likin combined levied on goods carried by junks from Hongkong to the treaty ports in the Canton Province and vice versa shall together not be less than the duties charged by the Imperial Maritime Customs on similar goods carried by steamer," and, "The Chinese Government undertake that all barriers of whatsoever kind, collecting like or such like dues or duties, shall be permanently abolished on all roads, railways and waterways in the Eighteen Provinces of China and the Three Eastern Provinces." This solemn undertaking was ratified at Peking in 1902, when the British Government, to compensate China for the abolition of likin, agreed to the imposition of a special surtax—equivalent to one and a half times the 5 per cent. import duty provided for in the Protocol of 1901. That special surtax has been duly collected since, but likin still flourishes as the green bay tree. Now His Excellency proposes, in direct contravention of the Treaty, to impose yet another artificial barrier to trade, and he has the hardihood—or perhaps, we should say, he is sufficiently ingenious—to put forward as an excuse for this further-proof of China's indifference to treaty obligations the ludicrous statement that the Ministry of Finance is "considering" the exemption of likin dues. We would remind His Excellency that the necessary "consideration" was given to likin and other surtaxes in 1902 by Sir James-Lyle Mackay, representing Great Britain, and the Imperial Commissioners Lu Hai-huan and Sheng Hsuan-huai, and since the two latter gentlemen have failed utterly to have effect given to the undertaking to which they have affixed their signatures, the Canton Viceroy will not add lustre to the names of those he represents by still further blackening China's reputation. The principle of protection, as we have said, is one with which we are in full agreement, but neither Viceroy nor Governments have, or ever will have, the right to put that principle into operation at the expense of their honour. The Canton Viceroy has a perfect right, and would be doing no more than his duty, to encourage in every way China's industries—but, (and we hope the fact will be impressed upon him), he must only do so within treaty limits. For his own sake, since the Foreign Office at Peking is directed by responsible men, and not feather-brained visionaries, he would do well to consider carefully, as his high officials suggested he should, the inadvisability of memorialising the Throne to carry out a project discredited to itself. The foreign friends of China, and they are many, cannot but feel with regret officials of the standing of His Excellency making suggestions which if carried out would dishonour the country. In that regret we join, but we also warn His Excellency that though we have been complacent in the matter of the Mackay Treaty, any further infringement of its obligations will not be tolerated. We would suggest to him that while the fostering of China's commerce is a good work, the preservation of her honour is a greater one.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

CABLE communication with Macao is restored. The Taiyuan is to undergo extensive overhaul here.

It is estimated that 1,150,000 fighting cocks die during a year in the Philippines.

THE Sveric, which left Hongkong this week, had 4,515 bales of Manila hemp on board.

A HAWKER was fined \$1 at the Police Court this morning for hawking without a license.

APPLICATION is being made by a syndicate for the installation of a German gas plant in Manila.

THE Barbed to a large consignment of hemp and about three million kilos of copra from Manila.

A COOLIE was given seven days' "hard" at the Police Court this morning for having a quantity of sugar in his possession.

A CHARTER is announced of a steamer to carry 10,000 barrels of cement from Haiphong to Manila for Jeppon & Co. at the rate of 75 cents Mex. per barrel.

THE loan of two million taels for Shanghai has now been satisfactorily arranged. The lenders are the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

THE Dragon Cycle Depot received yesterday by the s.s. Kanagawa Maru a new French 40 horse power Clement Tonin Car with six seats.

THE prizes were distributed at the Y.uma "school to-day." The headmaster's report showed that the highest attendance was in May, when it reached 100.

MESSRS. Hughes and Hough, in their coal report, state that the sales for the week were 17,000 tons of Japanese lamp, at \$6.70 per ton ex-ship deliveries before the end of June.

A SAMPA woman was charged at the Magistrate's Court this morning for plying her sampans without a licence. After hearing the evidence the Magistrate imposed a fine of \$5, and ordered the sampans to be retained after getting a licence.

SIR HENRY MAY'S DEPARTURE.

"AT HOME" AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE.

A large number of guests were invited to an "At Home" given at Government House last night to bid "Good-bye" to Sir Henry and Lady May prior to their departure for Fiji. Unfortunately, Lady May's indisposition prevented her from attending and the guests on arrival were met by His Excellency the Governor, Lady May, Sir Henry May and the Misses May. Dancing was continued till midnight and a most enjoyable time was spent. The function proved a most successful one, while at the same time it afforded those who are intimately acquainted with Sir Henry's character an opportunity to exchange farewell handshakes.

SODDEN DEATH OF ADMIRAL GÜHLER.

This morning, at 7.15, Admiral Gübler, of the S.S. *Arndt*, died after a few days' illness at the Peak Hospital. For the last eight days, he had suffered from an attack of fever, but it was not until the 18th that the disease was found to be typhoid. On the 19th and 20th, the Admiral rested, suffering from little fever, but to the intense regret of the community, at 6 a.m. this morning, the gallant officer died from loss of blood.

It will be remembered that the Admiral, on the 15th of December, slipped and broke his ankle while going on board the flagship *Sch. *Arndt** and was removed to the Peak Hospital later on.

The late Rear-Admiral Gübler was born in Zehlendorf, near Berlin, in 1839, and leaves a mother, married sister and other relatives in Germany to regret his death. The Admiral married in 1913 while holding a position at Marine Arsenal in Tokyo, but the wife died the following year in Germany. The deceased arrived in Hongkong in January, 1910, and had held the position of Second Admiral of the East Squadron.

TARTAN GENERAL ARRIVES.

H.E. Tseng Chai, the Tartan General of Canton, who leaves to-day by the S.S. *Manchuria* for Shanghai, from whence he proceeds to Peking, for an audience, called this morning at Government House and had a brief interview with H.E. the Governor.

ROBBER DIVIDENDS.

We have received a table showing the recent robber dividends and the dates when payable. Selangors paid 75 per cent. on January 13; on January 3 Patilings paid the same. Ceylon preferred paid 54 per cent. on Dec. 31 and on the same date Ceylon paid 50 per cent. Fifty per cent. was also paid by Longgis on Jan. 13, 35 per cent. on Jan. 2 by Batu Tiga, 30 per cent. by Fed. Selangors on Jan. 5. Caray United paid 25 per cent. on the last day of December, and other dividends payable during the month range from 5 per cent. to 10 per cent.

BIJOU SUBJIC THEATRE.

Another capital programme has been arranged for to-night at the Bijou Subjic Theatre. Miss Vera Fairfax and Miss Ruby Crystal are bound to appear in new songs and dances, while their duets, which are such a charming feature of the "Bijou," will be replaced by a fresh, dainty *musette*. "Scenes in Beautiful Devon" are likely to revive pleasant memories in the minds of patriotic Devonians, of whom there is a goodly sprinkling in the Colony. The "Bijou" is well worth a visit.

REGULATIONS relating to the firing of crackers are published in the *Gazette*.

THE English Mail of the 24th December was delivered in London on 10th inst.

A COOK was awarded ten days' "hard" at the Police Court this morning for stealing a pair of trousers.

MACDONNELL Road, to the east of the bridge over the tram line, has been declared an additional public car-station.

MR. Alec Taylor, the billiard player, informs us that he hopes to be in Hongkong again about the second week in February.

ADMIRAL Kawashima returned from Canton at 12.45 p.m. to-day on board the *Offi*. Afterwards he transferred his flag to the *Tsushima*.

OWING to the death of Rear-Admiral Gübler, the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club Regatta which was to have been held to-day has been unavoidably postponed.

THE scholars of the Yumail School who are winners of the Queen's College scholarships are:—Miss Siu Kung Po; and Chu Kwai Fat; and Tsang Man Kwai.

PROFESSOR Grossi will give his second in explicit performance at the City Hall this evening, a feature of which will be his thought-provoking. The programme has been completely changed.

WALTERS, of the U.S. Rainbow (well known locally) was to box Goodrich at Olongapo on the 14th, the former agreeing to stop his opponent within ten rounds or forfeit the \$400 put up by the Olongapo theatre.

IN consequence of the death of His Excellency Rear-Admiral Gübler this morning, the Official Dinner at Government House arranged for to-night in honour of His Excellency Rear-Admiral Kawashima has been cancelled.

MORRIS Conning was summoned this morning for being disorderly yesterday. He stated that he was to go on board a sailing ship, to meet some friends, and they had a "little drop together." He was cautioned, and left the Court with—"God bless you, your Worship, and in future I will keep away from the drink" (Luo-hui).

Sir Henry May's Departure.

PRESENTATION OF FAREWELL ADDRESSES.

LARGE GATHERING AT CITY HALL AND BLAKE PIER.

Sir Henry May, K.C.M.G., Governor of Fiji, left Hongkong to-day after more than a quarter of a century in the service of the Colony. He was accompanied by Lady and the Misses May and sailed on the s.s. *Aldenharn*.

At 11.45 a.m. a large number of residents of all classes gathered in St. George's Hall to be present at the reading of farewell addresses to Sir Henry and Lady May, and the presentation to the latter of a beautiful diamond pendant, the gift of the Colony.

At noon Sir Henry and party, accompanied by His Excellency the Governor, arrived and took up their places on a raised dais under the portrait of Queen Victoria. Sir Paul Chater then read the address, which had been signed by almost every resident in the Colony, first speaking as follows:—"Sir Henry May: We are not here to-day, Sir, to present to you your departure from the Colony as an address from the Community of Hongkong and I am proud to think that the duty and privilege of reading the same to you has been conferred upon me." Sir Paul Chater then read the address, which has been published already. Sir Henry, when the applause which followed had subsided, rose to reply, but his emotion was too great to permit him to read his speech, and he handed it to Mr. Hough, who read it aloud.

Sir Henry expressed his deep sense of the honour done him, and his gratitude for the kindly feelings which prompted it. He referred feelingly to the debt he owed Hongkong. He had worked there for the best part of his life, and whatever he had done was only made possible by the high intellectual standard of the Colony. He had met his wife in their eldest child, his children had been born in Hongkong; and it was with feelings of sorrow that he left the Colony. He thanked them greatly for the beautiful address they had given him. It was one of which any man might be proud. He was all underrivving of the honour done him, but he would treasure, always, the thought of their esteem.

Sir Henry's reply was received with loud and continuous applause, after which the Hon. Mr. Wei Yuk in a few words expressed the wish of the Chinese community to present an address. This was then read by Mr. Chan Kai King of the Tung Wah Hospital.

First of all an amusing anecdote (not for publication) with reference to the arrival of his smile, Sir Henry May replied feelingly to the address of his Chinese friends. He spoke of the friendship that they had always given him and of their constant help. They held high positions of public trust in the Colony, and he was glad to feel that on his departure he left behind him good relations between the Chinese and the Administration (Applause). The growth of that good relationship he had witnessed. It was slow and therefore sure, and to-day the Administration had no more loyal supporters nor more more fitted for the responsible public posts they held than the Chinese. (Applause) He thanked them heartily for their addresses and wished them all prosperity.

Then followed the presentation to Lady May who was given an evocative raising. Mrs. Keswick read the short address as follows:—

Lady May:—We wish to express our deep regret at the severance of the many ties which have bound you for so long to this community. The whole of your married life has been spent here and during all that time your influence for good has made itself widely felt.

Those around you have always been happier and brighter for your presence. As a wife and mother you have set an example; as a friend you have been true and staunch; as a lover for the welfare of others you have never repudiated yourself. In works of charity and mercy no appeal for your sympathy and support has ever been made in vain.

We find it difficult to say in a few words all that we feel, but you may rest assured that our heartfelt wishes for your happiness accompany you to your new home.

At parting we hope that you will accept this gift and that you will wear it as a memento of our affectionate regard.

Mrs. Keswick, amid loud applause, then handed Lady May the pendant. It is a beautiful piece of work, and reflects great credit on Messrs. George Falconer & Co. who made it. It is shaped like a Maltese Cross, three large and very fine diamonds form the main feature. One, a stone of splendid lustre, is of 24 carats weight. This is set in the centre, surrounded by smaller stones, while hanging from the cross are the other two diamonds. The setting and chains are of platinum, and form a most effective background to the blue-white jewels.

Lady May, who was again greeted with loud applause, read her reply, in which she expressed her sorrow at leaving the place where so many happy days of her life had been spent. She thanked her friends for their beautiful and costly gift, and for their good wishes, and hoped that every happiness and prosperity would be theirs.

Sir Henry and Lady May and their family then said good-bye to their personal friends, and a few minutes later proceeded to Blake Pier where the Government launch was in waiting to take them to the Aldenharn. A company of police, with the European officers and the Chinese detectives, were drawn up on the pier, while the Volunteer reserves had mustered in full force to bid Sir Henry farewell. They were drawn up in double rank at the entrance to the pier, and Sir Henry before shaking hands with his late

comrades said a few words to them. He hoped that they would retain the public spirit which had prompted them to go in the rescue and be wished them and the colony a long and prosperous career.

Lady May amid a chorus of the good-byes then boarded the launch, while her daughters and Sir Henry followed after shaking hands with the European police officers.

Fire crackers suspended from bamboo masts were let off as the launch set out for the vessel which carries the new Governor of Fiji from the Colony he has served so long.

PASSING OF THE QUEEN.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

Canton, January 21.
Acting on instructions from His Excellency the Viceroy the Provincial Examiner has issued a proclamation dealing with the queue-cutting movement. In his proclamation the Examiner says that His Excellency the Viceroy is in receipt of a telegraphic dispatch from the Ministry of Education stating that many students of the schools in every province, misunderstanding the meaning of the Imperial decree, have discarded their appendages, and that such movement is contrary to ancestral practice. The Viceroy is asked to notify the Provincial Examiner of the same and instruct him to require the queueless students to allow their hair to grow long again and resadopt the customary Chinese dress, and also to prohibit such students as have not parted with their queues from doing the same. The Provincial Examiner is empowered to dismiss the students from schools, who dare to ignore the order.

HARMSTON'S CIRCUS COMING.

"Colonel" Bob Love arrived this morning from Australia, principally to arrange for Harmston's Circus to show at Canton. It will play for ten nights only in Hongkong, commencing on or about February 10. New animals have been engaged, and a good show will be presented. Colonel Love is staying at the As or House.

AMERICAN NEWS.

[Via Manila.]

Washington, January 18.—The explosion of a boiler on the United States battleship *Delaware* yesterday killed eight men of the ship's contingent and wounded others.

Washington, January 18.—Governor Tener of Pennsylvania and Governor Wilson of New Jersey were each inaugurated yesterday.

Governor Wood of Wisconsin made a notable address on the obligations of the Democratic Party to the people in the present political crisis. He made a strong plea for clean government and the divestment of predatory combinations of capital and politics.

Washington, January 17.—Secretary McVeigh has raised his voice in behalf of the clerks in the Treasury Department. He joins with Secretaries Dickinson and Meyer in asking that the clerks be given higher salaries and that provision be made for their retirement when superannuated.

Washington, January 17.—Senator Purcell has introduced a resolution in the Senate calling for the removal of Secretary Ballinger from the cabinet.

Washington, January 18.—Senator Nelson of Idaho of the currency commission has announced his plan to revise the banking system of the United States and amend the banking laws. His plan will be presented in a few days in the form of a bill.

HONGKONG'S FINANCES.

The following financial statement appears in the *Gazette*:—

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.	
Balance of Assets and Liabilities on 31st October, 1910	\$143,78, 65
Revenue from 1st to 30th November, 1910	543,732.48
Expenditure from 1st to 30th November, 1910	687,587.13
Balance on 31st November, 1910	\$149,930.85
Balance on 31st December, 1910	\$93,391.15

TAIKOO DOCK COMPLIMENTED.

The *Hong Kong Daily News* says:—Whatever may have been the future predicted by pessimists for the new Taikoo dock at Hongkong there is no doubt that its first large effort in ship-building is a glorious triumph. We refer to the s.s. *Shan* which vessel has been lying in the river for the past few days, and which is the first ship to be built at the Taikoo docks.

Altogether the *Shan* is a very trim little craft, and the work of the Taikoo Dock Company is fairly not to be surpassed by any ship-builders the world over.

H. M. S. Newcastle, which takes the place of the ill-fated Bedford, arrived in port this afternoon at 3.30.

THERE was a large attendance of members at the Institute of Engineers and Shipbuilders last night, when Mr. Nicolay read an extremely interesting paper on the value of technical education to engineers. Reference was made to the enormous strides technical knowledge had made of recent years, and the great opportunity now afforded for keeping abreast with it. There lectures are quite a feature of the social life of the Colony, and a very interesting and valuable feature.

Telegrams.

"HONGKONG TELEGRAPH" SERVICE.

THE CORONATION OF KING GEORGE.

ARRANGEMENTS PUSHED FORWARD.

CONTINGENT OF DOERS TO VISIT LONDON.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

London, Jan. 20, 10.10 p.m.

Every preparation is being made for the Coronation of His Majesty the King.

Lord Knollys has interviewed the Premier, Mr. Asquith, relative to the proposal so heartily made that a contingent of General D'Alroy's Bantams should be officially invited to be present during the great celebration.

It is evident that the proposal has been most cordially entertained.

[The magnitude of the task it would be difficult to exaggerate, for everybody is agreed that the Pageant to be the greatest and most imposing ever seen in connection with the crowning of a British Monarch.

The early weeks of January will see the commencement in real earnest of the work. There is no reason for further delay. The late Government are going back to office, and there will be no break in the continuity of departmental responsibility. There has been some inevitable delay, due to the uncertainty of the political situation, but the Earl Marischall and the Lord Chamberlain's Department and in the Office of Works there has recently been great activity.

In connection with the Imperial Conference, which will immediately precede the Coronation, a suggestion has been thrown out from a responsible quarter that the statesmen from Overseas attending that gathering should be given some special act of service in the Coronation ceremony, and the question is at present being considered in the proper quarter.

In regard to the work of preparation in the Abbey, no active operations have yet been commenced, but a general scheme has been agreed upon by the various authorities concerned. In regard to the seating, the principle adopted at King Edward's Coronation will be adhered to. There will be no fixed seats, but chairs of Chippendale design, upholstered in silk, will be provided, and the persons using these will, if they wish, be subsequently allowed to purchase them as mementoes.

The most important task that will fall to the Office of Works, after the erection of the "anacron" to the Abbey, will be the construction of stands along the line of route between Parliament Square and Buckingham Palace. The majority of these structures, on the occasion of King Edward's Coronation, had been completed by the end of April, and after the holidays this particular work is to be hurried forward with all speed. The building of the anacron to the Abbey, in the form of the one erected in 1902, will also involve considerable labour.

The most notable changes that will be introduced in the imposing Pageant next June will be in the *dramatis personae*. Of the leading personages who took part in the Coronation of King Edward, both the then Prime Minister and the Archbishop of York have gone from amongst us, and of the four Knights of the Garter who held the canopy for the King's anacron, Lord Derby and Lord Spencer have joined the great majority; and among other well-known figures that will be missing will be those of the late Marquis of Salisbury and the Duke of Devonshire. In the turn of the political wheel will also account for many more changes.

Among the peers and personages who will wear strawberry leaves for the first time at a Coronation will be the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire, and the Duchess of Roxburgh. Among the new marquises and marchionesses will be Lord and Lady Salisbury, Lord and Lady Ripon, Lord and Lady Bristol, Lady Bute, and Lord Litchfield. There will be no fewer than thirty-eight new earls and countesses, including Lord and Lady Derby and Lord and Lady Spencer, and the other new peers and peeresses who have applied for permission to be present either by right of succession to the family title or by assent they have had a new peerage conferred upon them, number no fewer than one hundred.

But though the chief characters in the imposing Pageant will have been changed and a new audience will be looking on, the spectacle in all its historic essentials and significance will be the same as it was in 1902, for in all matters where it is found possible the lines of precedent are to be strictly followed.]

HOME POLITICS.

FIRST MEETING OF THE CABINET.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

London, Jan. 20, 10.10 p.m.

A great deal of interest throughout the country continues to be taken in politics.

The first meeting of the Cabinet has been held, but nothing of a public character has been divulged. Party partisans are looking forward to a vigorous session.

THE DALAI LAMA.

MAKES A TOUR OF INDIA'S HOLY CITIES.

[From Our Own Correspondent]

London, Jan. 21, 10.10 p.m.

The Dalai Lama is still in India. Recent intelligence pointed to his continued residence at Darjeeling, as he had declined all overtures made semi-officially for his early return to Tibet.

These were not entertained owing to the declarations made by the Government at Peking restricting those powers which he had been accustomed to exercise.

He was to confine himself strictly to the religious duties only.

The Dalai Lama has left Darjeeling for a time, and with a few loyal supporters is making a tour of the holy cities in India.

THE PLAGUE.

OUTBREAK IN TIENTSIN.

Through the courtesy of a reader of the *Hongkong Telegraph* we are able to state that a telegram was received here on Wednesday morning last, from a medical man, stating that plague had made its appearance in Tientsin.

The first few cases were reported that day.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEER RESERVES.

Sir Henry May has kindly forwarded us a statement from H.E. the Governor in which he sets forth the conditions and qualifications for those who would be enrolled as members of the Hongkong Volunteer Reserves.

The aim of the Force is to provide a body of men who in case of real emergency would be able to take a place in the defence scheme of the Colony; and the Governor may, by proclamation, whenever it appears to him advisable to do so, by reason of invasion or war or danger of either of them, or by reason of any internal emergency threatening the security, to quell which the available force is deemed by him inadequate, cause all or any members of the Volunteer Reserve to be enrolled as members of the Volunteer Force. In that case all members so enrolled become subject to the provisions of the Volunteer Ordinance, 1893, and continue subject to it, and entitled to the benefits of it, until the Governor shall by proclamation cancel such enrolment whereupon all members so enrolled revert to the Volunteer Reserve.

As members of the Volunteer Reserve they are required to take the oath of allegiance to the King, and to learn elementary drill (which can be done easily in a very short time).

CANTON OFFICIALS AND GAMBLING.

LOCAL INDUSTRIES TO BE PROMOTED.

[From Our Own Correspondent]

On the 15th inst. the Tartar General paid his last call on the Canton Viceroy, as he was leaving Canton for the North. The Tartar General strongly recommended to His Excellency the Viceroy, the advisability of suppressing gambling in all forms and without delay, and told His Excellency that, on his arrival at the capital, he (the Tartar General) would submit the question to the Throne.

The Viceroy, in reply, agreed with the Tartar General's remarks, but pointed out that the immediate total suppression of gambling was not so difficult to be dealt with as the matter of reorganization. A great number of the people earned their livelihood by this means. If gambling be, His Excellency remarked totally suppressed at once, the people would be homeless, and have to means of subsistence. Most likely they would turn robbers, in view of the daring and frequency of brigandage. These gamblers should be housed and find legitimate means of maintenance, by carrying out the order to suppress gambling. His Excellency has instructed the Tartar for the promotion of industries to be the other officials in finding funds towards the promotion of native industries, which would ensure internal tranquillity, and prevent the sources of the country's wealth from flowing into the mouths of foreign nations. The Tartar General withdrew.

THE MURDER CASE.

DEATH SENTENCE PASSED.

For his evidence was taken during the morning's sitting of the Supreme Court in the above case, after which both the prosecution and the Counsel for the defence addressed the jury at great length.

After the recess, His Lordship summed up the case and the jury retired for nearly three quarters of an hour to consider their verdict, but they did not arrive at an unanimous conclusion before three going into Court to elucidate some doubtful points.

The Registrar then asked the foreman:—With regard to the first prisoner have you agreed on your verdict?—We will give him the benefit of the doubt and say that he is not guilty.

The Registrar—With regard to the second prisoner, have you agreed on your verdict?—We find him guilty of the felony whereof he was indicted.

His Lordship then discharged the first prisoner.

His Lordship (addressing the second prisoner)—Have you anything to say in your defence should not be put on you?

Prisoner replied that the other man murdered the deceased. He fell down and hurt his hand. He was a working man and did not do such heinous things.

His Lordship having ascribed the black cap said:—Wong Kum, the sentence of the Court will be that you will be taken to the place where you came, and there to the place of execution and there you will be hanged until you are dead, and your body will be buried in the place where the Government would order. May God have mercy on your soul!

The Criminal Sessions were then adjourned till Monday.

TOWN GOSSIP.

Newspapers, like human beings, are liable to become shabby; they have need at times of a new suit. The "Telegraph" must plead guilty to showing great wear and tear after its long and honorable service. Its readers will, therefore, be glad to hear that it is now in the hands of a tailor, and out of its old, on Monday evening next, will appear in its new garb. Spick and span not only in appearance but as to quality, it will be an entirely rejuvenated "Telegraph."

The Chief Justice's intention to call witnesses on this part of local insurance companies will be taken to heart, I hope, by those concerned. Sluggishness on the part of an insurance office is simply putting a premium on crime, and therefore, as a public servant, which without exaggeration it may be said to be, sluggishness cannot be tolerated in its working. Sir Francis Jiggott's warning was a timely one.

Kowloon Dock is still busy with the damaged ship Nord, and good progress is being made with the work. The damage by fire was more extensive than was at first believed, and I understand that despite strenuous efforts the vessel will not be released until the end of the month.

Mr. J. B. Wood, a genial visitor from the Pacific coast of America, is now in the Colony, where he will spend some months thus escaping the grip of winter in his homeland. Mr. Wood, however, is not out here for pleasure. He intends to live here, supervising the construction himself, several large pleasure launches for Club de St. Paul, San Francisco and other Pacific coast cities.

FLANEUR.

A CLAYED THIEF.

Yesterday it was reported that a Chinese, who had recently returned from America, proceeded to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation in order to cash a draft for \$1,600.

This was done. Coming away from the building he was fumbling with the notes when he was suddenly accosted by a companion, who said he was connected with this bank's comptroller department. "A misadventure had been made," said the stranger glibly, "and therefore you had better let me take the money to be counted again."

The innocent stranger did so.

The alleged comptroller assistant vacillated and the thief.

ARREST OF A FIRST OFFICER.

CHARGED WITH SMUGGLING.

A Seattle fisher to the *Honolulu Bulletin* states that First Officer T. Cheetham, of the Great Northern, liner Minnesota, was arrested by customs inspectors on a charge of smuggling opium. Cheetham was caught in the act of passing the opium ashore.

Ed. Robinson, watchman at the dock, to whom Cheetham was passing the smuggled goods, was also arrested. Cheetham is said to have admitted his guilt to the inspectors and to have made a pitiful plea for mercy. The officer was found with sixty pounds of opium in his possession.

THE MANILA LAUNCH.

The launch which took Capt. A. Gillan to days to convey to Manila is to be repaired before being submitted to the Customs house officials, and her builder and present owner, Mr. D. Macdonald, is now in Manila to see that the necessary repairs are made.

According to experts, the launch will need a new front end for her boiler, a completely new furnace and all new tubes and combustion chambers. As the contracts state that the launch must be in first-class running condition these repairs will have to be made before the vessel can be accepted by the Customs house authorities.

CANTON'S PRIVY PURSE.

VICEROY PROPOSES ADDITIONAL TAX ON FOREIGN GOODS.

[From Our Own Correspondent]

Canton, January, 9.

The revenue problem is just now exercising the minds of the Canton Viceroy and officials in consequence of the great falling off in income due to the suppression of gambling.

The officials, including the Provincial Treasurer, and the Superintendent of Canton Customs, were at the yamen yesterday to discuss the matter with His Excellency. The latter pointed out that the tax on opium could not be depended on indefinitely, and any fresh taxation, although it was necessary, would fall heavily on the people. There was another way however.

The value of foreign goods imported in Canton annually exceeds ten million dollars. If the import duty were increased the money needed owing to the suppression of gambling, could be found, without the people being oppressed.

His Excellency added that every foreign nation has power to impose a duty on goods imported, and he fails to understand why China should be exceptional. Moreover, the Ministry of Finance has been considering the question of increasing the tax on imported foreign goods, and exempting them from like. The Viceroy is sure that foreigners will raise no objection to this arrangement.

The other officials were of opinion that foreign complications would certainly ensue and advised His Excellency to thoroughly and carefully consider the question, before memorialising the Throne for sanction to increase the import duty on foreign goods.

CANTON DAY BY DAY.

[From Our Own Correspondent]

Canton, Jan. 20.

YUET-HAN RAILWAY.

Mr. Jim Tin Yau, the President of the Yuet-Han Railway, and Mr. Chao Ting, the Vice-President of same, arrived here from Shanghai by the China Merchants S.S. Co.'s steamer, *Kwang Tai*, on the 18th inst. It is understood that Mr. Kwok Shu Chiu, representative of Shanghai, has, together with the committee of the nine charitable institutions, arranged for the holding of a reception in the hall of the Canton Principal Chamber of Commerce on the 21st inst. in honour of the two distinguished guests.

TARTAR-GENERAL'S DEPARTURE.

It has now transpired that the reason for His Excellency the Tartar General's urgent departure for the Capital is that matters concerning the Three Eastern Provinces have come to a deadlock, and that His Excellency has called to Peking to advise the government.

It will be remembered that the departing Tartar General is thoroughly versed in the conditions of the Three Eastern Provinces, as he had held a similar position in one of the three Provinces before. The present Viceroy of Manchuria has repeatedly tendered his resignation to the Throne, under the pretext of ill-health. In reality, His Excellency finds the problems of diplomatic complications hard to solve, and he is unable to adjust the affairs of the places under his jurisdiction in view of the interference of the Japanese and Russians, who have firmly established their respective prestige and influence over the homes of the Manchus. There must be some grounds for the rumour that Tsang Ki, the departing Tartar General, will be given the Viceroyship of the Three Eastern Provinces. His Excellency, started his journey for the North by the gunboat *Po Pik* early this morning. Major-General Foo is in temporary charge of the Tartar Generalship.

LIQUOR FARM.

Yesterday, by order of the Provincial Treasurer, and the Tartar for the Promotion of Industries the Canton Prefect presided over the meeting held in the hall of the Canton Provincial Chamber of Commerce in connection with the liquor farm. There were two traders, one from the Hong Chai Company, and the other from Wing On Company. The former gave the names of two shops as their guarantors, and offered to the Government the sum of \$10,000 as revenue guarantee fund (cash) paid to the Government two months hence. The latter named three shops as surety for them, and put up a revenue guarantee of \$25,000 on a bill to be honoured on the receipt of the Government's order to take over the farm.

The Canton Prefect reported the result of the meeting, and submitted the particulars of the tenders to the Provincial Treasurer and Tartar for the Promotion of Industries for approval.

ERECTION OF MANUFACTORY.

The erection of the manufactory on the site formerly occupied by the Customs in Fat Shan is in course of completion. The object of this undertaking is to teach art to the poorer classes. Notice to intending students of arts will soon be posted, and only students under twenty will be admitted. The manufactory will be equipped with machines for turning out clothes, towels, cotton socks, and woollen sweaters. Rattan tables and chairs will also be made there. The manufactory will be in working order next Chinese New Year.

SEIZURE OF OPIUM.

A long-coated Chinaman was charged at the Police Court this morning before Mr. E. R. Hallifax with having a quantity of prepared and dressed opium in his possession, in No. 307 Queen's Road Central.

Defendant pleaded guilty to the charge.

His Worship—You have nothing to say?

Defendant—No.

His Worship—Where did you get the opium from?—A friend of mine in Canton sold it to me.

A fine of \$30, or two months' imprisonment, was imposed on the defendant.

To-day's Advertisements

TODES-ANZEIGE.

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S.M.S. "Luchs"

Hongkong, January 21st, 1911. [83]

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Hongkong, 21st January, 1911. [89]



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E. A. HEWETT, Superintendent.

Hongkong, 21st January, 1911.

COMING OF THE PRINCE.

CHINESE OFFICIALS ACTIVE.

[From Our Own Correspondent]

Canton, Jan. 20.

In connection with the arrangements preparatory to the visit of the German Crown Prince to China, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs has appointed four reception commissioners, who are now visiting every province to assist the local authorities in making arrangements.

His Excellency the Viceroy has received a wire from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs stating that the four commissioners are now on their way to the provinces, and that on their arrival in Canton, His Excellency is requested to consult with them personally, about the preparations for the reception of the German Imperial representative. The Viceroy is further asked to depute some officials for the work of arranging the reception, and asking them to meet the commissioners. The arrangement must be carried out in an orderly and cordial manner, so as to cement the relations between the two nations.

FREIGHT MARKET.

Messrs. Lamko and Rogge state:—When commencing on the market a fortnight ago we wrote that offers were few and business obtainable in most instances was of a very poor description. Early in the fortnight several boats were forced to lay idle for want of paying employment, but owing to a better demand for locally raised tonnage was worked off, as owners eventually obtained a rate just sufficient to cover working expenses. There has since been a change for the better as far as orders and inquiries for prompt loading, principally in connection with Szechuan. Rates, though they have improved, still leave much to be desired, and can only come into operation for regular liners or the few boats in suitable position, doing away with a large quantity.

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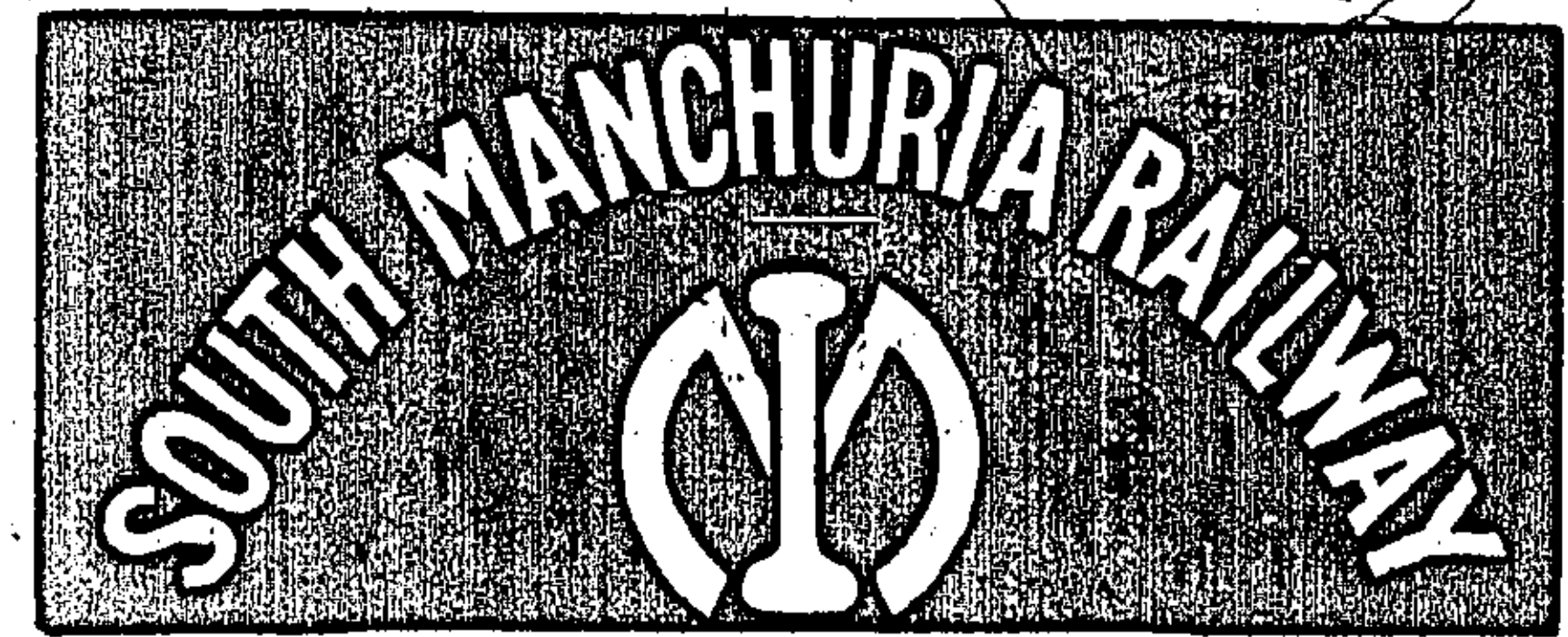
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SUPPLEMENTARY CHARGES ON DAIREN-CHANGCHUN SERVICE.

EXPRESS EXTRA FEE \$3.00

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TICKET AGENCIES—The Company's railway and steamer tickets are obtainable at all the Agencies of the International Sleeping Car & Express Train Co., Messrs. Thor. Cook & Son, and Reisebureau der Hamburg-Amerika Linie.

RAILWAY HOTELS—YAMATO HOTEL (Tel. Add.: "Yamato") at Dairen, Port Arthur, Mukden, Fushun and Changchun, all under the Company's management.

Shipping—Steamers.

CANADIAN PACIFIC
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Between China, Japan and Europe via Canada and the United States, calling at Hongkong, Shanghai, Nagasaki (through the Inland Sea of Japan), Kobe, Yokohama, Victoria and Vancouver B.C.

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"MONTAGLE".....	"EMPRESS OF IRELAND".....
WEDNESDAY, JAN. 25TH.	FRIDAY, MAR. 10TH.
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SATURDAY, FEB. 11TH.	FRIDAY, APRIL 7TH.
"EMPRESS OF JAPAN".....	"EMPRESS OF IRELAND".....
SATURDAY, MAR. 11TH.	FRIDAY, MAY 5TH.
"EMPRESS OF CHINA".....	
SATURDAY, APRIL 8TH.	
"MONTAGLE".....	
TUESDAY, APRIL 18TH.	
"EMPRESS OF INDIA".....	
SATURDAY, APRIL 29TH.	

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All Steamers of the Company's Pacific and Atlantic Fleets are equipped with the Marconi wireless apparatus.

Passengers booked to all the principal ports in Canada, the United States and Europe, also around the World.

HONGKONG TO LONDON, 1st Class, via Canadian Atlantic Port or New York (including Meals and Berth to Sleeping Car while crossing the American Continent by Canadian Pacific direct Line).

Passengers for Europe have the option of going forward by any Trans-Atlantic Line either from Canadian Ports or from New York or Boston.

SPECIAL THROUGH RATES—Special rates (First Class only) are granted to Missionaries, Members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Consular Services, European Civil Service Officials located in Asia, and to European Officials in the service of the Governments of China and Japan, and the families. Full particulars of application from Agents.

Through Passengers are allowed Stop over privileges at the various ports of interest en route.

R.M.S. "MONTAGLE" carries only "One Class" of Saloon Passengers (termed Intermediate) the accommodation and commissariat being excellent in every way.

HONGKONG TO LONDON. Intermediate on Steamers and 1st Class on Canadian and American Railways.

Via Canadian Atlantic Port £43.

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For further information, Maps, Guide Books, Rates of Passage and Freight, apply to—

L. W. GRADDOCK, General Traffic Agent,

Corner Pedder Street and Praya (opposite Black Pier).

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LD.

(PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.—SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.)

For	Steamship	On
MANILA.....	LOONGSANG	SATURDAY, 28th Jan., Noon.
SHANGHAI, KORE & MOJI.....	NAMSANG	THURSDAY, 2nd Feb., Noon.
SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA.....	FOOSANG	THURSDAY, 2nd Feb., Noon.

FOR THE MANILA CARNIVAL.—FEBRUARY 21ST TO 23TH, 1911.

A Special Reduced Fare of \$50 for return Passengers will be issued for our sailings to Manila of the 11th and 18th February, available for 30 days from Date of issue. Passengers taking these tickets are exempt from the Head Tax.

These vessels have all modern improvements and are fitted throughout with Electric Light. A daily qualified surgeon is also carried.

* Steamers have superior accommodation for First-class Passengers, and are fitted throughout with Electric Light.

† Taking Cargo on through Bills of Lading to Yangtze River, Chefoo, Tientsin & Newchwang.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE MATHESON & CO., LD.

Telephone No. 215, Hongkong, 21st January, 1911.

CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

SAILINGS SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
SHANGHAI.....	"LIHAN"	21st Jan., Midnight.
ZAMBANGA, LOILO & CEBU.....	"SUNGKIAN"	23rd " 4 P.M.
IMBINGTAU & CHEFOO.....	"KALANG"	24th " Daylight.
HAIPHONG.....	"OHHLI"	24th " 12 A.M.
MANILA.....	"TEAN"	24th " 4 P.M.
SHANGHAI.....	"OHHLI"	26th " 4 P.M.
MANILA.....	"TAHIO"	31st " 4 P.M.

MANILA CARNIVAL.—21st to 23rd February. Special reduced rate, \$50 return.

Reduced Saloon Fares, single and return, to Manila and Australian Ports.

DIRECT SAILING TO WEST RIVER, Twice Weekly.

S.S. "LINTAN" and S.S. "SANUI"

AUSTRALIAN STEAMERS have superior accommodation with Electric Light throughout and "Electric Fans in Staterooms. A daily qualified Doctor is carried. REDUCED

FARES. Cargo booked through for all Australian, New Zealand and Tasmanian Ports.

MANILA TWIN-SCREW STEAMERS and TIENTSIN STEAMERS have superior accommodation with Electric Light throughout and Electric Fans in Staterooms and Dining Saloon.

SHANGHAI LINE.

FAST SCHEDULE TWIN-SCREW STEAMERS (Aichi, China, Linen, Chinese), with excellent passenger accommodation, Electric Light throughout and Electric Fans in the Staterooms and Dining Saloon, leave Hongkong for Shanghai direct every Thursday and Sunday, taking cargo on through Bills of Lading to all Japanese and Northern China Ports.

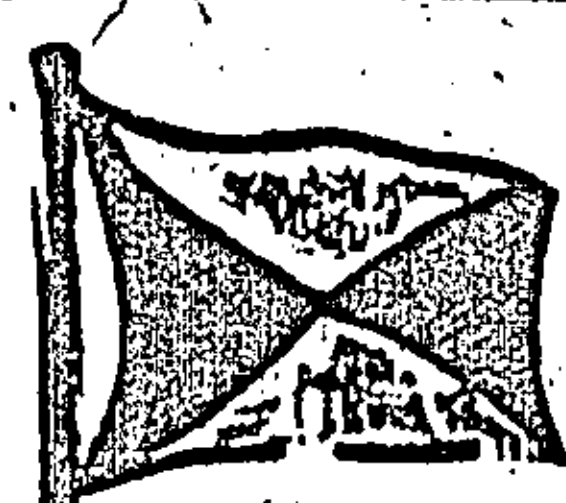
N.B.—Passengers must embark before midnight on Saturday for the Sunday morning sailings. A Company's launch leaves Murray Pier at 2 o'clock every Saturday night.

These steamers land passengers in Shanghai, avoiding the inconvenience of transshipment at Woosung.

Fares.—\$45 single, \$80 return.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Telephone No. 16, Hongkong, 21st January, 1911.

HONGKONG—
PHILIPPINES.
PHILIPPINES STEAMSHIP
COMPANY.

Steamship.	Tons.	Captain.	For	Sailing Date.
LAZARO.....	4000	H. Maland	MANILA, CEBU & LOILO	WEDNESDAY, 8th Feb., 4 P.M.
RUBI.....	4000	S. Crosby	MANILA, CEBU & LOILO	WEDNESDAY, 22nd Feb., 4 P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

SHEWAN TOMES & CO.
General Managers.

Hongkong, 21st January, 1911.

Shipping—Steamers

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA



(THE JAPAN MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.)

PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

DESTINATIONS.	STEAMERS.	SAILING DATES.—1911
MARSEILLES, LONDON AND ANTWERP Via SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO AND PORT SAID.....	HITACHI MARU, Capt. T. Yamawaki, Tons 7000 MIYASAKI MARU, Capt. T. Mura, Tons 9100 KITANO MARU, Capt. E. Cope, Tons 9100	WEDNESDAY, 1st Feb., at Daylight. WEDNESDAY, 15th Feb., at Daylight. WEDNESDAY, 1st Mar., at Daylight.
VICTORIA, B.C. & SEATTLE.....	KAMAKURA MARU, Capt. J. Nagao, Tons 7000	SATURDAY, 28th Jan., From KOBE.
VICTORIA, B.C. & SEATTLE Via SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE, YOKKAICHI and YOKOHAMA.....	TAMBA MARU, Capt. K. Sato, Tons 7000 AWA MARU, Capt. S. Ishikawa, Tons 7000	TUESDAY, 31st Jan., at Noon. TUESDAY, 28th Feb., at Noon.
SYDNEY and MELBOURNE, Via MANILA, THURSDAY ISLAND, TOWNSVILLE and BRISBANE.....	KUMANO MARU, Capt. M. Winkler, Tons 6900 YAWATA MARU, Capt. T. Sekine, Tons 5300	FRIDAY, 17th Feb., at Noon. FRIDAY, 17th Mar., at Noon.
KOBE and YOKOHAMA.....	IYO MARU, Capt. R. Takeda, Tons 7300	THURSDAY, 2nd Feb., at 11 A.M.
NAGASAKI, KOBE and YOKOHAMA.....	YAWATA MARU, Capt. T. Sekine, Tons 5300	WEDNESDAY, 15th Feb., at Noon.
SHANGHAI, MOJI & KOBE.....	TOBA MARU, Capt. H. Nomura, Tons 6200	WEDNESDAY, 1st February.
BOMBAY via SINGAPORE and COLOMBO.....	BOMBAY MARU, Capt. J. Terayaka, Tons 5000	TUESDAY, 14th January.

† Fitted with new system of wireless telegraphy. ‡ Cargo only. * Carries deck passengers

PASSENGER SEASON 1911.

SAILINGS AND PASSAGE RATES FROM HONGKONG.

To Marseilles and London via Suez Canal.

Steamers.	Tons	Leave Hongkong	RATES OF PASSAGE.
MIYASAKI MARU.....	9,000	15th Feb.	To London, per New Steamer 1st class Single... ¥550
KITANO ".....	9,000	1st March	" " " 2nd class Single... 845
IYO ".....	7,000	15th " "	" " " Return... 845
HIRANO ".....	9,000	15th " "	" " " 2nd class Single... 350
TANGO ".....	8,000	12th April	" " " Return... 540
KAMO ".....	9,000	26th " "	" " " Old Steamer 1st class Single... 500
AKI ".....	7,000	10th May	" " " Return... 750
MISHIMA ".....	9,000	24th " "	" " " 2nd class Single... 350
			" " " Return... 495

To Victoria, B.C. and Seattle, Wash. U.S.A.

Steamers.	Tons	Leave Hongkong	RATES OF PASSAGE.
AWA MARU.....	7,000	28th Feb.	To Pacific Coast Common Points 1st class Single... ¥30
INABA ".....	7,000	28th March	" " " 2nd " " " 21
TAMBA ".....	7,000	25th April	To London via New York 1st " " " 450
AWA ".....	7,000	23rd May	" " " via St. Lawrence 1st " " " 259

With option of rail between calling ports in Japan.

Connecting with the GREAT NORTHERN and NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAYS and Atlantic Steamers. Between Nagasaki and Yokohama, 1st and 2nd class through passengers have the option of travelling by Rail.

From Hongkong direct to Nagasaki 4 days, to Kobe 5 days and to Yokohama 6 days.

For further information as to Freight, Passage, Sailings, &c., apply to

T. KUSUMOTO,

Manager.

THE BANK LINE, LTD.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG FOR

VANCOUVER and SEATTLE via SHANGHAI and JAPANESE PORTS.

Steamer	Tons	Captain	On or about
"KUMERIC".....	6,232	G. B. McGill	9th February.
"AYMERIC".....	4,363	J. Boyd	9th March.

To be followed by other steamers of the Company at regular intervals.

The Steamers of the Bank Line, Ltd., carry cargo on through Bills of Lading to all Overland Common Points in the United States of America and Canada, and also for the chief ports in Mexico, and Central and South America. Will call at Amoy and Keelung if sufficient inducement offers.

The Steamers of the Line are of the most modern type, have excellent accommodation for stowage passengers and a limited accommodation for Cabin passengers; they are fitted throughout with Electric Light, the "Luceric" and "Orteric" also having Wireless Telegraphy. Special Arrangements have been made for Express Parcels to American and Canadian Ports.

For Rates of Freight or Passage apply to—

THE BANK LINE, LIMITED,

KING'S BUILDING, Praya Central.

Telephone No. 780, Hongkong, 18th January, 1911.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS, LIMITED.

FOR LONDON AND ANTWERP.

THE Steamship

"PEMBROKESHIRE,"

Captain R. Hayes, will be despatched as above about 2nd February.

The attention of Passengers is directed to the excellent accommodation afforded by this steamer at cheap rates. She is fitted throughout with electric light, and carries a Doctor and Stewards.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LTD.

Agents, Hongkong, 19th December, 1910.

Telephone No. 780, Hongkong, 18th January, 1911.

REGULAR STEAMSHIP SERVICE TO NEW YORK, VIA PORTS AND SUEZ CANAL (With Liberty to Call at Malabar Coast.)

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

FOR NEW YORK.

S.S. "SHIMOSA"..... On 21st Jan.

For Freight and further information, apply to DODWELL & CO., LIMITED, Agents.

Hongkong, 19th December, 1910.

Shipping—Steamer.

HONGKONG—BOSTON AND NEW YORK.



AMERICAN-ASIATIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR BOSTON AND NEW YORK VIA PORTS AND SUEZ CANAL.

(With liberty to call at the Malabar Coast.)

S.S. "INDRASAMHA" On or about 21st Jan., 1911.

For Freight and further information, apply to SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., General Agents.

Hongkong, 30th December, 1910.

Consignees.

FROM EUROPE.

THE H. A. L. Steamship

"SEGOVIA"

Captain Sachs, having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Godowns and/or extra-hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, whence delivery may be obtained against Bills of Lading countersigned by the Under-

signed.

Optional Cargo will be carried on unless notice to the contrary be given TO-DAY.

All Claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 21st inst., will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 20th inst., at 3 P.M.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

THIS STEAMER BRINGS ON CARGO Ex s.s. *Elton* from Christiania.

" *Elton* from Aarhus.

" *Olea* from Norfolk.

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE, Hongkong Office.

Hongkong, 15th January, 1911.

S.S. "OCEANEN."

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex s.s. *Esquive* and from Bordeaux ex s.s. *Ville d'Artois* and *V. de Celles*, in connection with above Steamer are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables are being landed and stored at their risks into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before Noon, TO-DAY, requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Under-signed, Goods remaining unclaimed after the 23rd inst., at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.

All claims must be sent in to me on or before the 25th January, or they will not be recognised.

All damaged packages will be examined on the 23rd January, at 3 P.M.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

P. THOMAS, Agent.

Hongkong, 16th January, 1911.

AMERICAN AND ORIENTAL LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. "LUCERIC" FROM NEW YORK.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named vessel are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra-hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods must be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 24th January, at 2.30 P.M.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 24th January, will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Under-signed on or before the 28th January, or they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

ARNHOLD KARBERG & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, 18th January, 1911.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamer

"DELHI,"

FROM BOMBAY, COLOMBO AND STRAITS

Consignees of Cargo by the above-named vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark, and delivery can be obtained as the Goods are landed.

This vessel brings on Cargo—

From London &c., ex s.s. *Malva*.

From Australia, ex s.s. *Mores*.

From Calcutta, ex S.S. *Sardania*.

From Persian Gulf, ex B. I. S. N. and B. & P. S. N. Co.'s Steamers.

Optional Goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary within 6 hours.

Goods not cleared by the 24th inst., at 4 P.M., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees and the Company's surveyors Messrs. GODDARD and DOUGLAS, at 9 A.M. on MONDAYS and THURSDAYS. All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns.

E. A. HEWETT, Superintendent.

Hongkong, 19th January, 1911.

WEATHER—FORECAST

STORM-WARNINGS ISSUED FROM THE HONGKONG OBSERVATORY.

METHEOLOGICAL SIGNALS.

Meteorological signals are hoisted on the mast in front of the Water Police Station at Tsim Sha Tsui for the information of masters of vessels leaving the port. They do not necessarily imply that bad weather is expected here—

Signal No.

1. A CONE point upwards Indicates a Typhoon to the North of the Colony.

2. A CONE point upwards and DRUM below Indicates a Typhoon to the North-East of the Colony.

3. A DRUM Indicates a Typhoon to the East of the Colony.

4. A CONE point downwards and DRUM below Indicates a Typhoon to the South-East of the Colony.

5. A CONE point downwards Indicates a Typhoon to the South of the Colony.

6. A CONE point downwards and BALL below Indicates a Typhoon to the South-West of the Colony.

7. A BALL Indicates a Typhoon to the West of the Colony.

8. A CONE point upwards and BALL below Indicates a Typhoon to the North-West of the Colony.

Red Signals indicate that the centre is believed to be more than 100 miles away from the Colony.

COMMERCIAL.

TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE.

London-Bank T.T.	107 1/2
Do. demand	107 1/2
Do. 4 months sight	107 1/2
France-Bank T.T.	238 1/2
America-Bank T.T.	31 1/2
Germany-Bank T.T.	31 1/2
India T.T.	31 1/2
Do. demand	31 1/2
Shanghai-Bank T.T.	31 1/2
Singapore-Bank T.T.	31 1/2
Japan-Bank T.T.	31 1/2
Yokohama-Bank T.T.	31 1/2

4 months sight L/O	107 1/2
6 months sight L/O	107 1/2
30 days sight S.F. & New York	44 1/2
4 months sight do.	44 1/2
30 days sight Sydney & Melbourne	23 1/2
4 months sight France	23 1/2
6 months sight	23 1/2
4 months sight Germany	23 1/2
Bar Silver	44 1/2
Bank of England rate	44 1/2
Sovereign	44 1/2

SHIPPING AND MAILS.

America (Asia) 24th inst.	
German (Prins Eduard) 25th inst.	
Indian (Nimrod) 25th inst.	
Indian (Lafayette) 25th inst.	
The S.S. Siam will leave for New York on 28th inst.	
The Bank Line s.s. <i>America</i> sailed from Vancouver, B.C. on 17th inst., for Yokohama, and is due here on 17th inst.	
The North German Lloyd s.s. <i>Prinzess Alice</i> left Yokohama on 17th inst., at noon, and may be expected here on 21st inst., at noon.	
The C. P. R. s.s. <i>Empress of China</i> arrived at Kobe at 8 a.m., on 20th inst., and left again at 1 p.m., same day, for Yokohama, where she is due to arrive at 2 p.m., on 21st inst.	

THE WEATHER.

On the 21st at 11.55 a.m.—The barometer has risen moderately over E. Japan and the Bonins, and fallen over China, particularly in the North.

The depression lying in the neighbourhood of the Bonins yesterday, has moved away Eastwards. The other depression remains over Manchuria.

Pressure is high over E. Japan, and over the Upper Yangtze valley.

Fresh to moderate monsoon may be expected over the China Sea.

Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.01 inches.

FORECAST.

1.—Hongkong and neighbourhood, N. winds, moderate; fair, cloudy.

2.—Formosa Channel, N.E. winds moderate.

3.—South coast of China between Hongkong and Lamook, same as No. 1.

4.—South coast of China between Hongkong and Hainan, same as No. 1.

Coming Events.

Saturday, 21st January.

Theatre Royal, "Grosvenor" 9 p.m.

Bijou Theatre, 9.15 p.m.

Monday, 23rd January.

Queen's College prize distribution.

Theatre Royal, "Grosvenor" 9 p.m.

Seamens' Institute Concert.

Lecture, Y.M.C.A.

Wednesday, 25th January.

Matilda Hospital Concert.

Thursday, 26th January.

Y.M.C.A. Annual Meeting, 5.15 p.m.

Marquess de Caracal, Billie View Hotel, 9 p.m.

Friday, 27th January.

Humphreys Estate Meeting, 11.0 a.m.

West Point Building Co., Ltd. Twenty-Third Annual Meeting, at 1.45 a.m.

Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Co., Ltd., Twenty-First Annual Meeting at noon.

Saturday, 28th January.

Boxing, City Hall.

Hongkong Volunteer Corps, Gascoigne.

Shield Competition.

Shipping.

Arrivals.

Cow's, Br. s.s. 1,155, Jackson, 20th Jan.

Shanghai 15th Jan. Ballast, 3, P. & Co.

Akitaushima, Jap. cruiser, 3,450, Macchida, 20th Jan.

20th Jan.—Canton 19th Jan.

Explicite's, Br. s.s. 2,507, G. Bramston, 21st Jan.

Jan.—Tarakao, 14th Jan., Crude Petroleum—A. P. & Co.

Chihli, Br. s.s. 1,237, G. Mathias, 21st Jan.

Haiphong 18th Jan. Rice, B. & S.

Hain Chang, Chl. s.s. 1,248, W. Jamieson, 21st Jan.

Shanghai 18th Jan. Gen. China Merchants.

Proper, Nor. s.s. 2,244, K. Larsson, 21st Jan.

Nagasaki 19th Jan. Saito, T. & Co.

Sungking, Br. s.s. 1,537, H. Hardy, 21st Jan.

Hain Chang, Chl. s.s. 1,248, W. Jamieson, 21st Jan.

Shanghai 18th Jan. Gen. China Merchants.

Obio Maru, Jap. s.s. 7,250, W. Greene, 21st Jan.

San Francisco 20th Dec. and Manila 20th Jan. Mails and Gen.—T. K. K.

Louan, Br. s.s. 1,654, J. Williams, 21st Jan.

Canton 20th Jan. Gen.—B. & S.

Kwangtshai, Chl. s.s. 1,537, T. Pratt, 21st Jan.

Canton 20th Jan. Gen.—Q. M. S. N.

Co. Co.

Faoliing, Br. s.s. 1,075, E. L. Jones, 21st Jan.

Canton 20th Jan. Gen.—C. M. S. N.

Co. Co.

Nanchang, Br. s.s. 1,044, R. Robertson, 21st Jan.

Canton 20th Jan. Gen.—B. & S.

Store Nodisko, Daulah s.s. 556, Carl Tople, 21st Jan.—Ballast—G. N. T. & Co. Taiwan, Br. s.s. 1,642, A. Jenkins, 21st Jan.—Sebatik 13th Jan., Coal—Order.

Clearances at the Harbour Office.

Simongan, for Dager.

Yuenyang, for a.m.

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TO-MORROW.

St. John's Cathedral.

3rd Sunday after Epiphany: 22nd January.

Holy Communion 8.15 a.m.

Mating 11 a.m. Responses: Feriel, Venia: Dye, Paulus, Crotch, Poland and Taylor, To Doun: Woodward, Smart and Turle, Benedicere: Livingston, Lity: Feriel, Hymus: 232, 220 and 255.

N.B.—Psalm 107, verses 1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 21, 22, 31 and 43 in union.

Evangelium 5.45 p.m., Responses: Feriel, Paulus: Russell, Smart and Goodenough, Magnificat: Nunc Dimittis: Mauser in G. Anthem: "The Radiant Morn"—Woodward, Hymus: 431 and 50, Sevefold Amen.

N.B.—Psalm 103 ver. 1, 2, 5, 9 and 12 in union.

Hymn 103 "1, 2, 13, 14, 19 and 29 in union."

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SHARE QUOTATIONS.

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STOCKS.	NO. OF SHARES.	VALUE.	PAID UP.	POSITION AS PER LAST REPORT		LAST DIVIDEND.	APPROXIMATE RETURN AT PRESENT QUOTATION BASED ON LAST YEAR'S DIV.	CLOSING QUOTATIONS.
				RESERVE.	AT WORKING ACCOUNT.			
BANKS.								
Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation	180,000	\$125	\$125	\$1,500,000 \$15,00,000 \$150,000	\$3,029 3 0	\$2 for first half year ending 30.6.10 @ ex 1/4 = \$22.45	5 %	\$130 sellers \$29-10.
National Bank of China, Limited.....	90,000	£7	£6	\$4,000 \$1,00,000	\$30,552	\$2 (London 1/6) for 1909	...	\$80 buyers
MARINE INSURANCES.								
Canton Insurance Office, Limited	10,000	\$250	\$50	\$1,000,000 \$68,000 \$10,181 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	none	\$25 for 1909	8 1/2 %	\$182 1/2 sellers
North China Insurance Company, Limited	10,000	£15	£5	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	Tls. 205,719	Final div. of 7 1/2 % for '09 making 15 % in all ..	5 %	Tls. 160 sales
Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited	12,400	\$250	\$100	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$237,084	Final of \$20 per share, making in all \$50 per share for 1908 and an interim divid- end of \$10 per share for 1909	7 %	\$27 1/2
Yangtze Insurance Association, Limited	12,000	\$100	\$50	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$707,627	\$12 for year ending 31.12.08 and interim of \$3 on account of 1909	7 1/2 %	\$200 ea. & b.
FIRE INSURANCES.								
China Fire Insurance Company, Limited	20,000	\$100	\$20	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$438,406	\$6 and bonus \$2 for 1908	7 %	\$125
Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited	8,000	\$250	\$50	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$426,218	\$27 for 1908	8 %	\$165
SHIPPING.								
China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited	10,000	\$25	\$25	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	Dr. \$3,777	5 1/2 % for 1906	...	\$7 buyers
Douglas Steamship Company, Limited	10,000	\$50	\$50	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	...	\$2 for year ending 30.6.1908	...	\$20 sellers
Hongkong, Canton & Macao Steamboat Co., Ltd.	80,000	\$15	\$15	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$20,766	Dividend of \$1 1/2 for 30.6.10	8 1/2 %	\$30 buyers
Indo-China Steam Navigation Co., Ltd. (Preferred) Do. (Deferred)	60,000 60,000	£5 £5	£5 £5	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	15,161	{ 3 1/2 % = 1/2 on Preferred shares only for 1907 } Final div. of 2 1/2 per sh. (comp. 14) making in all 4 1/2 per sh. for '09 & an int. div. of 1 1/2 per sh. on acc. for '10	...	\$50 sales
"Shell" Transport and Trading Company, Limited	1,000,000	£1	£1	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	152,994	{ 14 per cent. for 7 1/2 % for yr. ending 30.4. 1910 A bonus of 5 % }	5 % 5 % 6 %	\$6 1/2 buyers \$25 \$12
"Star" Ferry Company, Limited	10,000 10,000	\$10 \$10	\$10 \$10	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$1,150			
REFINERIES.								
China Sugar Refining Company, Limited	20,000	\$100	\$100	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	Dr. \$1,000	\$5 for half year ending 30.6.1910	6 %	\$124 sellers
Luxon Sugar Refining Company, Limited	7,000	\$100	\$100	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	Dr. \$235,891	\$2 for 1897	...	\$20 sellers
MINING.								
Chinese Engineering and Mining Company, Ltd.	1,000,000	£1	£1	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	£1,435	{ Final div. of 1 1/2 for the year 1910 making 15 % (coupon No. 15)	9 %	Tls. 14 sellers
Headwaters Mining Company	60,000	£10	£10	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	none	First year	...	£8, 10
Raub Australian Gold Mining Company, Limited {	200,000	£1	£1	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	£6,583	\$1 per share 13th dividend	5 %	\$3 sales
Oriental Consolidated Mining Co., Ltd.	500,000	G \$10	G \$10	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	none	Final of Gold \$0.65 for 1909 in all G \$2.15 ..	...	37/6
DOCKS, WHARVES & GODOWNS.								
Penwick (Geo.) & Co., Limited	18,000	\$25	\$25	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	Dr. \$8,460	\$1.75 for year ending 31.12.08	...	\$5
Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd.	60,000	\$50	\$50	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$264,847	\$2 1/2 for 1909	4 1/2 %	\$53 1/2 sellers
Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company, Ltd.	50,000	\$50	\$50	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$212,765	\$2 for half year ended 30.6.1909	...	\$52 buyers
Shanghai Dock and Engineering Co., Ltd.	Tls. 55,700	Tls. 100	Tls. 100	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	Dr. \$, 345	{ Final of Tls. 3 1/2 making Tls. 6 in all for year 30.4.1910 }	8 %	Tls. 68.
Shanghai and Hongkong Wharf Company, Limited ..	10,000	Tls. 100	Tls. 100	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	Dr. 9,322	Interim of Tls. 2 for 1910	7 %	Tls. 97 1/2
LANDS, HOTELS & BUILDINGS.								
Anglo-French Land Investment Co., Ltd.	35,000	Tls. 100	Tls. 100	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	Tls. 4,314	Tls. 6 for year ending 31.12.10	5 1/2 %	Tls. 66
Central Stores, Limited	50,123	\$15	\$15	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$24,041	\$2 for 1901	8 %	\$11 sellers
Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited	12,000	\$50	\$50	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$1,277	{ \$2 on old shares \$1.50 on new shares for half year ending 30.6.10 }	6 %	\$16
Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Co., Ltd.	50,000	\$100	\$100	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$27,914	Interim of \$3 1/2 for 1910	7 %	\$100 sales
Humphreys Estate & Finance Company, Limited ..	150,000	\$10	\$10	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$5,477	45 cents for 1909	6 %	\$7 1/2
Kowloon Land and Building Company, Limited	5,000	\$50	\$50	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$250	\$2 1/2 for 1909	8 %	\$33 1/2 buyers
Shanghai Land Investment Company, Limited	75,000	Tls. 50	Tls. 50	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	Tls. 63,066	Interim of Tls. 2 for 1910	6 1/2 %	Tls. 100
West Point Building Company, Limited	12,500	\$50	\$50	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$1,051	Interim of \$1.80 for 1910	8 1/2 %	\$42 buyers
COTTON MILLS.								
Two Cotton Spinning and Weaving Company, Ltd.	20,000	Tls. 50	Tls. 50	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$1,109,921	Tls. 11 for year ending 31.10.09	8 1/2 %	Tls. 85 sales
Hongkong Cotton Spinning, Weaving and Dyeing Company, Limited	125,000	\$10	\$10	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$9,553	50 cents for year ending 31.7.08	...	\$4.40 buyers
International Cotton Manufacturing Company, Ltd.	10,000	Tls. 75	Tls. 75	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$1,175,000	Tls. 7 1/2 for year ending 30.6.09	10 %	Tls. 50
Lau-kung-mow Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ltd.	8,000	Tls. 100	Tls. 100	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	Tls. 4,829	Tls. 6 for 1909	10 %	Tls. 60
Sey Choo Cotton Spinning Company, Limited	2,000	Tls. 100	Tls. 100	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	Tls. 11,193	Tls. 55 for 1909	19 %	Tls. 145 seller
MISCELLANEOUS.								
Bell's Asbestos Eastern Agency, Limited	8,000	£15	£15	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	£60	15 % per share for 1909	...	\$8 sellers
China-Borneo Company, Limited	60,000	\$25	\$25	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$1,000	60 cents for 1909	6 1/2 %	\$9
China Light and Power Company, Limited	50,000	\$5	\$5	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$50,242	60 cents for year ended 28.10.08	...	95 cents buyers
China Do. Do. Special shares	50,000	\$1	\$1	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	12,503	80 cents for 1909	10 %	\$8 1/2 sellers
China Provident Loan & Mortgage Company, Ltd.	125,000	\$10	\$10	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$1,890	\$1.20 for year ending 31.7.09	7 %	\$17 1/2 buyers
City Farm Company, Limited	40,000	\$7 1/2	\$6	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$1,270	Interim of 15 cents per share for 1910	12 1/2 %	\$3 1/2 buyers
Green Island Cement Company, Limited	400,000	\$10	\$10	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$670	14 per cent. viz. \$1.40 for 1909	12 %	\$12 sellers
H. Price & Company, Limited	120,000	\$10	\$10	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$11,708	{ A dividend of \$1.20 per share and a bonus of 10 cents per sh. for year end, 28.2.10. }	6 %	\$20 buyers
Hongkong Electric Company, Limited	60,000	\$10	\$10	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$11,562	Interim of \$1 per share for 1910	...	\$130
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited	5,000	\$25	\$25	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$9,175	Interim of \$1 per share for 1910	...	\$181 sales
Hongkong Road Manufacturing Company, Ltd.	60,000	\$10	\$10	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	Tls. 147,500	3rd interim dividend of Tls. 15 making in all Tls. 37 1/2 for 1910	5 %	Tls. 118
Manichappi at Mijia, Bosch on Landbouwer plotatie in Langkat, Limited	25,000	G \$10	G \$10	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	Tls. 115,682	80 cents fully paid shares and 8 cents on \$1 paid shares for year ending 30.4.10 ..	5 1/2 %	\$123 sellers
Peak Tramways Company, Limited	25,000	\$10	\$10	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$3,014	None	5 %	\$123 sellers
Peak Tramways Company (new)	50,000	\$10	\$10	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	Dr. 18,640	None	...	\$8
Philippine Company, Limited	75,000	\$10	\$10	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000				
Shanghai-Sumai Tobacco Company, Limited	10,000	Tls. 20	Tls. 20	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	Tls. \$,350	No dividend this year	2 %	Tls. 120
Societe des Papiers et Papeteries du Tonkin	13,300	50	50	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	none	First year	...	\$56 sellers
South China Morning Post, Limited	6,000	\$25	\$25	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	Dr. \$31,006	None	...	\$25
Steam Laundry Company, Limited	20,000	\$25	\$25	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$127,86	10 % for year ending 31st May 1910	8 %	\$24 buyers
Union Waterboat Company, Limited	50,000	\$10	\$10	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	none	60 cents for year ending 31.12.08	8 %	\$7 buyers
United Asbestos Orienta Agency, Limited	10,000	\$10	\$5	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$42	15 % per ordinary sh. for year ended 31.5.10 ..	5 %	\$14 sellers
Watkins Limited	10,000	\$10	\$10	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$1,041	25 cents for 1909	5 %	\$9 sellers
Watson (A.S.) & Co., Limited	90,000	\$10	\$10	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$2,013	3 % for 1909	...	\$14 buyers
Weismann, Limited	3,000	\$10	\$10	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$67	10 % for year ending 31.10	...	\$14 buyers
William Russell, Limited	15,000	\$7	\$7	\$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000 \$1,000,000	\$72	None	...	\$1

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